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Here are the final USDA comments/responses that were sent to the interagency workgroup.

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OP has submitted the package. Day 1 of 90 starts tomorrow!

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Today, 10/24/2013, OCSPS proposed action **SAN 5006: Pesticides; Agricultural Worker Protection Standard Revisions (RIN 2070-AJ22)** was transmitted to OMB via ROCIS. This is a tier 2 action and ADP Tracker has been updated.

Thank you.

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Stage of Rulemaking: Proposed Rule Stage	Submitted By: Nathaniel Jutras	Submitted Date: 10/24/2013
Title: Pesticides; Agricultural Worker Protection Standard Revisions		

EO Review Package 2070-AJ22

 EO Review Package was successfully submitted at 10/24/2013 14:51:38 PM.

Unfunded Mandates
No

Major
No

Priority
Other Significant

Legal Authority
[7 USC 136w](#)

CFR Citation
[40 CFR 170](#)

Legal Deadline

Action	Source	Date	Description
None	None		

Overall Description of Deadline

Abstract
EPA is developing a proposal under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act to revise the federal regulations that direct agricultural worker protection (40 CFR 170). The changes under consideration are intended to improve agricultural workers' ability to protect themselves and their families from potential exposure to pesticides and pesticide residues. EPA is also considering adjustments to improve and clarify current requirements to facilitate compliance; to align the WPS' hazard communication requirements with Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) requirements; and to improve pesticide safety training, with improved worker safety the intended outcome. This proposal is in response to EPA discussions with key stakeholders beginning in 1996. Since then, EPA has held numerous public meetings throughout the country during which the public submitted written and verbal comments on issues and concerns with the existing requirements.

Next Timetable Action

Action Description	Action Date	FR Cite
NPRM	03/00/2014	

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